CPD EVENT RECORD ULTRASOUND DIAGNOSIS

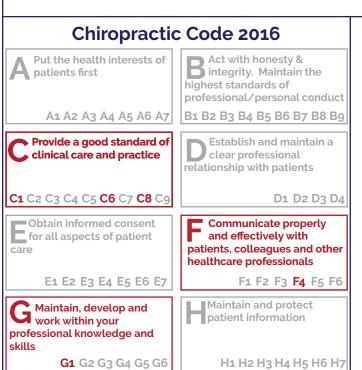
Recording:

Learning
by Oneself

with Chris Myers

Summary

This discussion illustrated how ultrasound can be used to confirm a diagnosis, and how as a result it can lead to improved treatment and outcomes for patients. The limitations of US scanning were outlined, but its strengths over other imaging modalities were also highlighted. The degree of expertise needed to be able to interpret scans was made clear, and the limitations of some types of scanner discussed. Real case histories were used to help illustrate what was said.







Evaluation, Reflection and Impact on Practice

On reflection, ultrasound scanning is clearly a useful tool to have at one's disposal. This discussion has reminded me of the limitations of palpation and of special tests and has led me to consider cases where US scanning would be beneficial for my own patients.

Confirmation

I confirm that this is an accurate reflection of my learning during this event.

Signed: